#### **ENGINEER I/II**

Posting: #06-01-001

Open: January 6, 2006

## Department of Public Works

## Transportation/Development Review

The recruitment will remain open until sufficient applications from qualified candidates are received.

#### THE JOB

This position performs professional civil engineering work for the Transportation Concurrency Section of the Transportation Program. Responsibilities include reviewing and analyzing traffic impact studies for new development projects; providing traffic engineering analysis for transportation improvement projects; and developing and maintaining the computerized model of traffic on the County road system. Other related duties may include performing trip generation, distribution, and level of service analyses for public and private development projects; managing transportation engineering consultants; performing traffic safety studies and analyses; and providing development review testimony at land use hearings. The position reports to the Concurrency Management Supervisor. Applicants may be hired at either the Engineer I or II level, based on their qualifications.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS**

**Engineer II**: B.S. degree in Civil or related Engineering and two (2) years experience in an Engineering I classification or equivalent.- **OR** - High School diploma or G.E.D. and four (4) years relative engineering work experience to include a minimum of two (2) years experience in an Engineering I classification or equivalent and possession of an E.I.T. certification.

**Engineer I**: B.S. degree in Civil or related engineering. - **OR** - High School Diploma or G.E.D. <u>and</u> two (2) years relative engineering work experience and possession of an E.I.T. certification.

The County will consider substituting additional professional or technical civil engineering experience for all or a portion of the formal education requirement. The following additional knowledge and experience is highly desirable.

#### **Experience in:**

- Land use permitting and development review process; traffic engineering and planning packages such as Highway Capacity Software, <u>Traffix</u> software, etc., the <u>Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices</u>, the <u>Highway Capacity Manual</u>, and other traffic engineering principles;
- Reviewing and analyzing transportation impact studies for public and private development projects;
- Presenting to groups and working with colleagues, neighborhoods, and groups in the conduct of studies.

Any combination of education, experience, and training that demonstrates the possession of the required knowledge, skills, and abilities will be considered.

**Knowledge of:** advanced principles and practices of traffic engineering; land use and development review practices; application and interpretation of County codes, policies, and procedures.

**Ability to:** interpret laws, codes, and ordinances as they apply to transportation and traffic engineering, development projects, and general governmental traffic engineering services; establish and maintain effective working relationships with coworkers, private and public agencies, and citizens; interpret and;/or prepare complex plans and specifications, maps, and reports; communicate professionally both orally and in writing.

#### **SALARY**

The salary ranges are: Engineer I \$20.26 - \$25.86 per hour and Engineer II \$23.44 - \$29.93 per hour. It is the general policy of the County to start employees in the lower or middle sections of the salary range. Clark County provides a generous benefits package, which includes medical and dental insurance, paid holidays, vacation, sick leave and retirement. This position is represented and requires membership in Local 17, International Federation of Professional and Technical Engineers, AFL-CIO.

#### **SELECTION PROCESS**

- 1. <u>Application Review</u>: (Pass/Fail) All applicants must complete a Clark County application and submit it to the Human Resources department by 5:00 p.m. on the closing date. Incomplete applications will not pass the application review. Candidates deemed most qualified will be invited to participate in the remainder of the selection process.
- 2. <u>Supplemental Application</u>: (Pass/Fail) In addition to the Clark County application, applicants must submit and complete the supplemental application. Please see the attached document entitled <u>Supplemental Application Questions</u>. Applicants who do not have the supplemental materials will not pass the application review. Candidates deemed most qualified will be invited to participate in the remainder of the selection process.
- 3. Oral Interview: (Weighted 100%) The interview will be job related and may include, but not be limited, to the qualifications outlined in the job announcement.

#### REQUEST AND/OR SUBMIT APPLICATION MATERIALS TO:

To apply, all application materials must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on the filing date listed on the front of the recruitment announcement. POSTMARKS ARE NOT ACCEPTED. A Clark County application is required unless otherwise noted and supplemental materials (i.e., answers to supplemental questions, cover letter, etc.) may be required and must be submitted with the application. <u>Please read application materials thoroughly to determine application requirements.</u>

Clark County Human Resources Department 1300 Franklin Street - 5th Floor PO Box 5000 Vancouver, WA 98666-5000 FAX (360) 397-2457 / TDD (360) 397-6032 JOB INFO LINE (360) 397-6018 E-MAIL HRADMIN@clark.wa.gov INTERNET http://www.clark.wa.gov

#### THE COUNTY

Clark County, Washington is a growing community with a population of approximately 392,400, including the City of Vancouver (population 152,900). Located minutes north of Portland, Oregon and with easy access to the Columbia Gorge, Cascade Mountains, and Washington and Oregon Coasts, the region offers abundant cultural and recreational opportunities. Clark County offers excellent livability and a relatively low cost of living. There is no state income tax.

#### **EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER**

Clark County is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to providing equal opportunity and access regardless of race, religion, creed, color, national origin, age, sex, disabled veteran status, veteran status, physical, mental or sensory disability. Women, minorities, veterans, and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply. Please notify Human Resources of the accommodation needed, preferably at the time of applying, but at least two days prior to the date needed.



For assistance with needed accommodations, please contact the Human Resources ADA/Section 504 Coordinator. (360) 397-2468; TTY (360) 397-2445.

#### **IMMIGRATION LAW NOTICE**

Only United States citizens and aliens lawfully authorized to work in the United States are eligible for employment. All new employees will be required to complete and sign an Employment Eligibility Verification form and present documentation verifying identity and employment eligibility.

NOTE: This announcement is intended as a general descriptive recruitment guide and is subject to change. It does not constitute either an expressed or implied contract.



# **ENGINEER I/II Supplemental Application Questions** *Posting* #06-01-001

In addition to the application, please submit a narrative supplement describing your experience in the areas listed below. Completion of the narrative supplement is necessary and must be submitted with your application to Human Resources by the final filing date. CANDIDATES WHO DO NOT COMPLETE THIS SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION WILL BE ELIMINATED FROM THE SELECTION PROCESS.

Applications and supplemental responses will be evaluated on the basis of overall qualifications for the position: related *experience*, *knowledge*, *skills*, *and abilities*. Those candidates whose qualifications most closely match the position's needs will continue in the selection process. Be sure to answer all sections completely and accurately, describing specific and relevant examples from your background. Use additional sheets of paper if necessary.

- 1. Describe your experience with the following:
  - a) Land use permitting and development review process.
  - b) Traffic engineering and planning software packages, such as Highway Capacity Software, Traffix, etc.
  - c) Review of transportation/traffic impact studies for new developments.

Accepted engineering practices such as the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, the Highway Capacity Manual, etc.



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### **EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION**

INSTRUCTIONS: TYPE OR LEGIBLY PRINT THIS APPLICATION USING DARK INK ONLY. APPLICATION SHOULD BE FILLED OUT IN ITS ENTIRETY. AN INCOMPLETE APPLICATION MAY DISQUALIFY YOU FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION.

GENERAL INFORMATION									
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Have you been convicted or released from prison within the last 10 years? Have you ever been convicted, pled guilty or no contest, or forfeited bond or bail for any crime other than traffic violations (do NOT list any conviction for which the date of conviction or prison release, whichever is more recent, is more than 10 years old)? Yes [] No [] If Yes, explain below.									
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Indicate any other trades, skills or licenses you possess related to the position. Include licensing state and expiration date.									
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#### **CLARK COUNTY IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER**



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List your applicable work experience, starting with	most recent first, including self-employment, mil	
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Reason for leaving or considering change:		employer? Yes [ ] No [ ]
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	sheets if necessary to include all work history possible in outlining the duties of each position.	
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I hereby certify, under the penalty of perjury in the sinformation given is true and complete to the best of my kinisrepresentation or falsification, my application may be employment.	State of Washington, that this application contains no knowledge and belief. I am aware that should an investe rejected, my name may be removed from considerate	willful misrepresentation and that the tigation at any time disclose any such tion or I may be discharged from my
I understand that this application is not intended to be agreements, which specify terms of employment. Employment This means that either party can terminate the employment Signature is required at time of hire.		e bargaining agreements is "at will."
	Signature of Applicant	Date

## **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY QUESTIONNAIRE (OPTIONAL)**

Clark County is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to providing equal opportunity and access regardless of race, religion, creed, color, national origin, age, sex, physical, mental or sensory disability, sexual orientation, disabled veteran or veteran status. For this purpose, we would appreciate you providing the information below. This is entirely voluntary and will remain CONFIDENTIAL. The information gathered herein will not be provided to supervisors, the appointing authority or other department employees. It will be used for monitoring and for federal reporting purposes only. We appreciate your assistance and cooperation in voluntarily providing this information and in assisting Clark County in ensuring equal employment opportunities for all applicants.

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[] The Skanner-Portland	[] Seattle Times	[] Spokane Review	[] The Olympian				
Internet Sites:							
[] Columbian website	[] Oregonian website	[] Clark County Website	[] Seattle Times website				
[] El Latino de Hoy website	[] Other Internet/Websit	e:					
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[] Clark County Bulletin Board	[] College/Career Center	[] Acquaintance/County Employee					
[] Other:							